

**Proposed Amendment in R2021**

Clause No.	Existing	Should be read as
R4.3	<p><b>Mandatory Induction Programme</b>            Students are expected to undergo a mandatory induction programme comprising of physical activity, creative arts, universal human values, proficiency modules, lectures by eminent people, visits to local areas and familiarization to department / branch &amp; innovations immediately after admission.</p>	<p><b>Mandatory Induction Programme</b>            Students are expected to undergo a mandatory induction programme comprising of physical activity, creative arts, universal human values, proficiency modules, lectures by eminent people, visits to local areas and familiarization to department / branch &amp; innovations immediately after admission. The Completion of the Induction Programme shall be printed in the grade sheet as "Completed"</p>
	<p><b>Clause Newly added</b></p>	<p><b>R4.4.2 Course coding scheme for courses in verticals</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Six alpha-numeric characters have been used to represent course codes of verticals.</li> <li>(ii) The first character "V" represents the vertical course followed by two character which represents the Department code (SH, CE, EE, EC, ME etc.,)</li> <li>(iii) The fourth character represents the year (1- I year; 2- II Year, 3 - III year and 4 - IV year)</li> <li>(iv) The fifth character represents the vertical number              1 - First Vertical offered by the department</li> </ul>

2 - Second Vertical offered by the department

3 - Third Vertical offered by the department

4 - Fourth Vertical offered by the department

(v) The last one digit represents the unique identification code, where the numbers 1 to 9 represent courses in the respective vertical

**R4.4.3 Course coding scheme for Minor verticals (Professional elective courses)**

(i) Six alpha-numeric characters have been used to represent course codes of verticals.

(ii) The first character "M" represents the Minor course followed by next two character which represents the Department code (SH, CE, EE, EC, ME etc.,). which offers the minor verticals. The coding for Institutional level minor courses are given below:

S.No.	Name of the Minor Vertical	Code
1.	Entrepreneurship	EN
2.	Fintech and Blockchain	FB
3.	Business Data Analytics	BD

(iii) The fourth character represents  
0 - Institutional level minor  
1 - Department level first minor  
2 - Department level second minor etc.,

(iv) The last two digit represents the unique identification code, where

		where the numbers 01 to 09 represents courses in the respective vertical.
R5	B.E. / B.Tech. Honours / Minor Degree	B.E. / B.Tech. Honours / Honours (Specialization in same discipline) / Minor Degree
R5.1	B.E. / B.Tech. (Honours) Degree Programme	B.E. / B.Tech. (Honours / Honours (Specialization in same discipline) Degree Programme
	<p>Honours is a specialized degree that focuses on the area of the students' interest, which encourages advanced levels of study. Honours qualification enhances professional development and facilitates to gain recognition at the time of graduation for advanced and distinguished work contributed by the undergraduate students.</p> <p>"Honours" Degree shall be awarded to well performing UG students on earning 18 extra credits (6 additional courses) in the same programme after satisfying the relevant degree award conditions.</p>	<p>Honours / Honours Specialization in same discipline is a specialized degree that focuses on the area of the students' interest, which encourages advanced levels of study. Honours qualification enhances professional development and facilitates to gain recognition at the time of graduation for advanced and distinguished work contributed by the undergraduate students.</p> <p>"Honours / Honours Specialization in same discipline" Degree shall be awarded to well performing UG students on earning 18 extra credits (6 additional courses) in the same programme after satisfying the relevant degree award conditions.</p>

**R5.1.1 Eligibility and Honours Degree Award Criteria**

Every student of the Institute intending to register for the "Honours" qualification shall fulfil the following academic requirements

- a. Registration to "Honours" qualification shall start from fifth semester onwards.
- b. Students should have obtained CGPA of 7.5 and above at the end of 4<sup>th</sup> semester is eligible to register for Honours degree.
- c. The students should earn additional 18 credits by registering the courses offered in their respective programme verticals. The student can opt any 6 courses from same or different verticals offered in the respective programme.
- d. All the additional course works should be completed within the minimum prescribed time for the award of the degree.
- e. Honours degree will be awarded for the students who have the overall CGPA of 7.5 and above at the end of programme (including the additional courses for Honours degree),
- f. Honours degrees will only be given to students who completed all of the courses in their programme of study on their first attempt (including the courses for Honours

**R5.1.1 Eligibility and Honours Degree / Honours Specialization in same discipline degree Award Criteria**

Every student of the Institute intending to register for the "Honours / Honours Specialization in same discipline" qualification shall fulfil the following academic requirements

- a. Registration to "Honours / Honours Specialization in same discipline" qualification shall start from fifth semester onwards.
- b. Students should have obtained CGPA of 7.5 and above at the end of 3<sup>rd</sup> semester is eligible to register for Honours degree.
- c. The students should earn additional 18 credits by registering the courses offered in their respective programme verticals.
- d. **Honours degree** shall be given to the students who have completed any 6 courses successfully from different verticals offered in the respective programme.
- e. **Honours Specialization in same discipline degree** shall be given to the students who have completed the 6 courses from same verticals offered in the respective programme.
- f. All the additional course works should be completed within the minimum prescribed time for the award of the degree.
- g. Honours / Honours Specialization In

	degree),	same discipline degree will be awarded for the students who have the overall CGPA of 7.5 and above at the end of programme (including the 6 additional courses) and also the students should complete all the courses in their programme of study on their first attempt.
R5.2.1	<p><b>R5.2.1 Eligibility and Minor Degree Award Criteria</b></p> <p>Every student of the Institute intending to register for the "Minor" qualification shall fulfill the following academic requirements</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Registration to "Minor" qualification shall start from fifth semester onwards.</li> <li>Students should have obtained CGPA of 7.5 and above at the end of 4<sup>th</sup> semester is eligible to register for Minor degree.</li> <li>The students should earn additional 18 credits by registering the courses offered as minors from other programme verticals or courses offered for Minor degree. The student can do 6 such courses for Minor degree.</li> <li>All the additional course works should be completed within the minimum prescribed time for the award of the degree.</li> <li>Minor degree will be awarded for the students who have the overall CGPA of 7.5 and above at the end of programme (including the additional courses for Minor</li> </ol>	<p><b>R5.2.1 Eligibility and Minor Degree Award Criteria</b></p> <p>Every student of the Institute intending to register for the "Minor" qualification shall fulfill the following academic requirements</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Registration to "Minor" qualification shall start from fifth semester onwards.</li> <li>Students should have obtained CGPA of 7.5 and above at the end of 3<sup>rd</sup> semester and should not have arrears are eligible to register for Minor degree.</li> <li>The students should earn additional 18 credits by registering the courses offered as minors from other programme verticals or courses offered for Minor degree. The student can do 6 such courses for Minor degree.</li> <li>All the additional course works should be completed within the minimum prescribed time for the award of the degree.</li> <li>Minor degree will be awarded for the students who have the overall CGPA of 6.5 and above at the end of programme (including the additional courses for Minor degree),</li> </ol>

	degree), f. Minor degrees will only be given to students who completed all of the courses in their programme of study on their first attempt (including the courses for Minor degree),	
R7.8.3	For an elective to be offered, at least 15 students should register for that course subject to the approval of the Head of the Department.	For an elective to be offered, at least 10 to 15 students should register for that course subject to the approval of the Head of the Department.
R10.14	<b>Clause Newly Added</b>	<p><b>Assessment of Professional Elective / Open Elective Courses</b></p> <p>R10.14.1 The End semester examination for Professional elective / open elective courses shall be conducted as per the procedure given in vide clause R10.5 to R10.7.</p> <p>R10.14.2 If a student decides not to opt for Honours / Honours with specialization, after completing certain number of additional courses, the additional courses studied shall be considered instead of the Professional Elective courses which are part of the curriculum, If the student has studied more number of such courses than the number of Professional Elective courses required as per the curriculum, the courses with higher grades shall be considered for the calculation of CGPA. Remaining courses shall be printed in the mark sheet as over and above credits and not accounted in the calculation of CGPA.</p> <p><b>R10.14.3</b> If a student decides not to opt for Minor, after completing certain number of courses, the additional courses studied shall be considered instead of Open</p>

		<p>Elective courses which are part of the curriculum. If the student has studied more number of such courses than the number of open electives required as per the curriculum, the courses with higher grades shall be considered for calculation of CGPA. Remaining courses shall be printed in the mark sheet as over and above credits and not accounted in the calculation of CGPA.</p>
R10.8.1	<p>The student shall register for Project Work as per the respective programme curriculum. Project work may be allotted to a single student or to a group of students not exceeding 4 per group. For each Project work, out of 100 marks, the maximum marks for continuous assessment is fixed as 60 and the end semester examination (project report evaluation and viva - voce examination) carries 40 marks.</p>	<p>The student shall register for Project Work as per the respective programme curriculum. Project work may be allotted to a single student or to a group of students not exceeding 4 per group. For each Project work, out of 100 marks, the maximum marks for continuous assessment is fixed as 60 and the end semester examination (project report evaluation and viva-voce examination) carries 40 marks. The project work can also be carried out in industry / academic research institution shall be jointly supervised by a supervisor of the department and an expert from the organization as a joint supervisor and the student shall be instructed to meet the supervisor periodically and to attend the review meetings for evaluating the progress.</p>
R13.2.1	<p><b>B.E. / B.Tech. Honours Degree</b></p> <p>"Honours" Degree shall be awarded to well performing UG students on earning the specific additional credits as prescribed under vide Clause R5.1.1 and satisfied the requirement (vide Clause R5.1.1) and</p>	<p><b>B.E. / B.Tech. Honours Degree/ Honours Specialization in same discipline Degree</b></p> <p>"Honours" Degree / "Honours Specialization in same discipline" Degree shall be awarded to well performing UG students on earning the specific additional</p>

after satisfying the relevant degree award conditions.

The Principal of the Institute shall submit the list of students who are eligible for the award of the "Honours" degree along with the total credits earned by each student to the affiliating University. The list shall be validated by the Faculty Advisors of the students under consideration and endorsed by the Head of the Department / Dean (Academic courses) / Controller of Examination.

If the students registered for "Honours" degree qualification cannot meet the requirement as stated in Vide Clauses R5.1.1, they shall not be considered for the award the award of "Honours" degree. However, they shall be awarded only B.E. / B.Tech. degree. The additional grades earned from the successful completion of additional courses will be printed in the grade sheet under over and above category.

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If the students registered for "Honours" degree / "Honours Specialization, in same discipline" Degree qualification cannot meet the requirement as stated in Vide Clauses R5.1, they shall not be considered for the award the award of "Honours" degree. However, they shall be awarded only B.E. / B.Tech. degree. The additional grades earned from the successful completion of additional courses will be printed in the grade sheet under over and above category.

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